Frejr, Danish str., for Haiplore.

Zafire, British str., for Amoy.

Daphne, British str., for Yokohma.

July 2, AJAX, British str., for moy.

July 2, Zafiro, British str., forManila.

Carisbrooke, bound South,

June

July 2, AMOY, British str., forWhampos.

July 2, NAMKIANG, British st, for Amoy,

July 1, Kaisow, British bark, or Bangkok.

July 2, MENMUIR, British str. for Australia.

PASSENGERS.

Per Nanshan str., from hngkok.-5 Chi-

REPORTS.

SHANGHAI SHIPING.

ABRIVATS.

14. Hae shin, Chinese str., frm Foochow.

14, Paking, German str., from Hongkong.

14. Kinng-teen, Chinese str., rom Ningpo.

14, Shanghai, British str., frm Hankow.

14, Canton, British str., from Hongkong.

14, Choy Sang, British str., rom London.

15, Ichang, British str., from Ningpo.

15, Soochow, British str., from Swatow.

15. Yuen Wo. British str., from Hankow.

15, Wha-on, British str., fron Hankow.

15, Napaul, British str., fron Hongkong.

15. Nierstein, German str., frm Nagasaki.

16, Hae-an, Chinese steamer, rom Tientsin.

16. Klang-teen, Chinese str., rom Ningpo.

16, Wuchang, British str., from Tientsin.

16. Kiang-yung, Chinese str. from Hankow.

16. Meefco, Chinese str., from Taku Bar.

16, Ingo, German str., from Ingasaki.

17. Ngankin, British str., from Hunkow.

17. Poochi, Chinese str., from Tientain.

7, litan, British str., from Lverpool.

17. Sin Nanzing, Brit. str., from Tientsin.

17; Hae-ting, Chinese str., fron Tientsin.

18, Satsama-maru, Jap. str., form Japan.

18, Fah Wo, British str., from Hankow.

19, Primus, Russian ship, fron Antwerp.

19, Johann, German str., from Kelung.

19. Sachsen, German str., from Bremen.

19, Kiang-teen, Chinese atr., from Ningpo.

10, Accedia, British bark, from Presmantle.

19. Chungking, British str., from Tientsin,

19, Yungehing, Chinese str., rom Hongkong

19, Juniata, Amr. corvette, from Foochow.

El Dorado, British str., from Tientsin.

19, Kiang-yu, Chinese str., from Hankow.

19, Woosung, British str., from Swatow.

20, Ichang, British sir., from Ningpo.

20. Glenshiel, British str., from Kobe.

20, Feima, British str., from Tientsin.

14. Taiwo, British str., for Fankow.

14. Leesang, British str., for Swatow.

14. Pao Hua, British str., fo Hankow.

14. Tungchow, British str., br Chefoo.

14. Fungshun, Chinese str., br Chefoo.

15, Oopack, British str., for London.

14, Kinng-teen, Chinese str. for Ningpo.

15. Kiany-foc, Chinese str., or Hankow. 15. Ichang, British str., for Tingpo.

16. Motapedia, British str., or Nagasaki. 16. Hae-shin, Chinese atr., for Foodhow.

16. Shanghai, British str., for Hankow.

16, Sindh, French str., for longkong.

17. Hae-an, Chinese str., for Chefco.

17, Wuchaug, British str., hr Chefoo.

17, Canton, British str., for Newchwang.

17, Nierstein, German str., or Nagasaki.

17, Glenorchy, British str., or London.

17. Yuen Wo, British str., fr Hankow.

17. Wenchow, British str., for Tientsin.
17. Meefco, Linese str., for Newchwang.
18. Ichang, British str., for Vingpo.

19. Kiang-yung, Chinese str. for Hankow. 19. Peking, British str., for Hongkong.

19, Soochow, British str., for Newshwang.

19. Kiang-teen, Chinese str. for Ningpo.

20, Sin Nanzing, British str for Chefoc.

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20, Ichang, British str., for Nagpo.

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20, Chungking, British str., br Chefoo.

20. Yung-ching, Chinese str., or Chinkiang.

NOTICE.

THE PEIHO TUG AND LIGHTER

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under his personal supervision.

Take, 14th May, 1888.

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. COMPANY are not Prepared to

19, Wandering Jew, Amr. shp. for New York.

17. Wha-on, British str., for Hankow.

18, Ingo, German str., for Ingasaki.

19 Poo chi, Chinese str., for Chefoo.

19, Hae-ting, Chinese str., fc Chefoo.

19. Sual, British str., for Hakow.

17, Toku, British str., for Chefoo.

16. Kiang-teen, Chinese str. for Ningpo.

17. Kwang-lee, Chinese str. for Hongkong.

15, Yokohama-maru, Jap. str. for Japan.

20, Nanzing, British str., fron Foochow.

20, Kowshing, British str., fom Tientsin.

20, Kung-pai, Chinese str., fom Tientsin.

DEPARTURES.

18, Hae-chang, Chinese str., fom Wenchow.

17. Kutsang, British str., from Swatow.
17. Iohang, British str., from Ningpo.

15, Yangtse, French str., from Kobe.

14, Fee-chen, Chinese telg. st., from Tameui.

15, Chihaya maru, Jap. bark, from K'notzu.

14, Sual, British str., from Hukow.

July 2, MERLIN, British g-bt for Canton.

Teviot, British str., for Shanghi.

Menmuir, British str., for Por Darwin.

DEPARTURES.



就十零百五千九第 日四十二月五年四十緒光 HONGKONG, TURSDAY, JULY 3RD, 1888. No. 9510 · 二拜禮 號三月七英港香 INTIMATIONS SHIPPING BANKS. AUCTIONS. NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES. INTIMATIONS. A TTENTION is directed to the follow-ing forms of Policies granted by the STANDARD LIFE OFFICE. TT ONGKONG & SHANGHALBANKING "GLEN" LINE OF STEAM PACKETS. PUBLIC AUCTION: ARRIVALS. CORPORATION. July 2, Nanshan, British stemer, 805, Geo THE Undersigned has received instructions FROM GLAEGOW, LONDON, PENANG, Blackburn, Bangkok 25th June; Rice and to Sell by Public Austion. CITY HALL. AND SINGAPORE. General.—Hop Hing Hop. number of promiums, each pro-THIS DAY. THE Steamship (TUESDAY) EVENING the 3rd July, 1888, at 2 P.M., at his mium securing a proportionate July 2, Soocnow, British stemer, 327, T. Ro-RESERVELIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS 7,500,000 the 3rd July, 1888. Sales Rooms, Queen's Read, SUNDRY HOUSEHOLD part of the sum assured in the "GLENFRUIN," win, Pakhoi 29th June, and Hoibow lat event of the Policy being dishaving arrived from the above Ports, Consignees COURT OF DIRECTORS :-TATASH NORTON'S SECURED July, General.—CHINESE. FURNITURE, &c., continued. For example, a person of cargo by her are hereby informed that their Hon. JOHN BELL-IRVING-Chairman. CRETONNE COVERED Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong & Kowleon Wharf who is assured for £1.000 with premiums ceasing in 10 years, and W. H. FORBES, Esc. Deputy Chairman WORLD OF WONDERS PAYMENT D. Bottomley, Esq. S. C. Michaelsen, Esq. J. S. Moses, Esq. CLEARANCE. ROOM SUITE, CENTRE and SIDE who desired to discontinue his and Godown Company, Limited, at Kowloon, GRAND FASHIONABLE NIGHT, AT THE HARBOUR MASTR'S OFFICE. POLICIES TABLES, CHIMNEY GLASSES. PIC-L. Dalrymple, Esq. L. Poesnecker, Baq. payments at the end of 5 years, 2ND JULY. N. A. Siebs, Esq. Layton, Esq.

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These instructions are given as on entering

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ILOHO, 25th May, 1888.

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Houghoug, loth June, 1888.

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NOTICES OF PIRMS.

NOTICE. HAVE This Day Established myself in this AECHITECT and SURVEYOR. A. DENISON.

A. M. Inst. C.E. TOUNKER COALS can be supplied to any 61. Queen's Road Central. steamer lying in the Harbour or coming Hongkong, 2nd July, 1888. alongside the Kowloon Wharf on ipplication to

Y INTEREST AND RESPONSIBILITY in the Brook are often mistaken by strangers when entering from the South for points Cabalic and Bondolin Ceased from This Day. E. PIRON.

Hongkong, let June, 1888. THAVE This Day taken over the Business of HAHN, PIRON & Co., and will carry on

the same in future under the Style of A. HAHN, Dealer in Pianos and Musical Instruments. Hongkong, 1st June, 1888.

NOTICE. SHIP'S COMPRADORES, STEVEDORES TATE Have admitted MR SILAS AARON V. HARDOON & PARTNER in our FIRM FRESH in Hongkong and China, from lat January, E. D. SASSOON & Co.

Hongkong, 29th June, 1888.

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Hongkong, 2nd July, 1833. 1255 GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.-

THE following Particulars of Sale of Crown Land by Public Auction, to be held on the

THIS . DAY. the 3rd day of July, 1888, at 4 P.M.,

RULES OF THE HONGKONG are published for general information.

BY Command. FREDERICK STEWART, Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office. conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Hongkong, 23rd June, 1888. Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 Particulars of the letting by Public Austion Sale, to be held on TUESDAY, the 3rd day of July, 1888, at 4 P.M., by Order of Hie Exone time will not be received. No depositor CELLENCY THE GOVERNOR of ONE LOT of may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year.

3.—Depositors in the Savings Bank having CROWN LAND, in the Colony of Hongkong,

for a term of 999 Years. \$100 or more at their credit may at their option PARTICULARS OF THE LOT. hai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for Boundary Measure-Locality. ments. annum will be allowed to Depositors on their N. | B. | E. | W. 5.-Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book, which must be presented with ft. ft. ft. ft. each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-

at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July. 6.—Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked ON HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK 1 1148 Schompd. 20 20 45'3 45'3 905 16 460 BUSINESS is forwarded free by the various VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTY TO BE SOLD AT KOWLOON.

but the personal attendance of the Depositor or his duly appointed Agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary. R. J. M. ARMSTRONG has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction

SATURDAY, the 7th July, 1898, at 4.30 P.M. at the Premises. All those Portions of INLAND LOT No. 441 situate at Kowloon Point to be registered

in the Land Office as Sections A. B. C & D of the said Lot. Three of the Lots are bounded on the East by Austin Road and measure 100 feet cach. Registered Office, 40, THREADNEEDLE STREET, East by Kimberly Road, 89 feet, and Austin

Road, 69 feet, and is 240 feet deep on the South side. The Lots are good Building Sites especially for Villas or a Terrace of Houses commanding pleasant Views of land and sea. The Property will be sold in FOUR LOTS or

as the Vendor may direct. In consequence of the unsettled state of the weather the sale of the above mentioned Property is POSTPONED until SATURDAY, the 7th July, at 4.30 P.M.

For Plans, Particulars and Conditions of Sale BENRY J. HOLMES,

Solicitor for the Vendor. or to the Auctioneer.

Hongkong, 21st June, 1888.

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Hongkong, 9th May, 1888. is bold can stand close in until noint Cabalic and Cape Bondolin are in a line, then steer straight PREMIER CHAMPAGNE up passing 1 mile off Cape Cabalic and 200 yards off Bondolin. IN CHINA IS TRAT OF MESSES. VEUVE BINE ! FILS ET CIE, OF REIMS. SHIPPED HY

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whence delivery may be obtained. Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before NOON

TO-DAY. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 3rd of July, will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Hongkong, 26th June, 1888. CANADIAN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY, NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP "ABYSSINIA," FROM SAN FRANCISCO, VANCOUVER, YOKOHAMA AND SHANGHAI

THE above Steamer having arrived, Consigness of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature and to take immediate delivery of OUR REPERTOIRE OF NOVELTIES their Goods from alongside. . Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessal will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk

and expense. ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Hongkong, 28th June, 1888.

TO CONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL CARGO . EX O. S.S. CO.'S S.S. "AJAX." FROM LIVERPOOL. CHIPPING Orders must be obtained from the

Undersigned not later than the 4th July, for shipment per steamer "ANCHISES." BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 29th June, 1888.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer are hereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into Craft, and/or landed at the

ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on Holders. and after the 30th inst. Goods undelivered after the 6th July, will oe subject to Rent. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agenta. Hongkong, 29th June, 1888.

FROM HAMBURG, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE. THE Steamship

Captain Voss, baving arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned and to take immediate delivery of their goods from along-

Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 2 P.M. TO-DAY.

Any Cargo impoding her discharge will be landed into the Godowns of the Kowloon Pier and Godown Co. and stored at Consignees' risk The portion, Section A, is bounded on the and expense.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 5th July, will be subject

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 5th July, at 4 P.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected. SIEMSSEN & Co.,

Hongkong, 29th June, 1888. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S. S. "TEVIOT." FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL, LON-DON, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.

MONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby inof formed that all goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may

Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 4 P.M., TO-No Claims will be admitted after the Gnods have left the Godewns, and all Goods remaining after the 5th July will be subject to rent. All claims against the steamer must be pre-

July, or they will not be recognized. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Hongkong, 30th June, 1888.

THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED.

OTICE is hereby given that all VESSELS DISCHARGING BOMBAY COTTON, and OTTON YARN at the Kowloon Wharves will have FREE STORAGE for 14 days from arrival after which a Rent of 3 cents per Bale per month will be Charged.

ISAAC HUGHES. Secretary. Hongkong, 8th November, 1887. THE RONGKONG AND KOWLOOD WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY

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Districts, the Management beg to state that

the PEAR TRAMWAY COMPANY will run a Special train down at 8.30 P.m. and a return train at 11.15, and if necessary, another at 11.30 F.M. PRICES AS USUAL. WASH NORTON, Manager. 1247 Hongkong, 2nd July, 1888.

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> Children under 12 years of age Half-price to all parts of the Circus. Naval and Military in uniform Half-price to l parts of the house, except to Private Boxes. BOBT. LOVE,

General Agent. Hongkong, 2nd July, 1888. THE CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at the CITY HALL, Victoria, Hongkong, TO-DAY, the 3rd

Meeting of the Company held on the 18th day of June, 1-88, will be submitted for confirmation as a Special Resolution. [784 | That the Company be wound up voluntarily in accordance with the Company's Articles of Association and under the provisions of the Companies Ordinances 1865 to 1886." Should the Resolution be confirmed a further

Resolution will be proposed at the same That the Board of Directors for the time being and the Secretary, in accordance with the provisions in the Articles of the said Company be appointed Liquidators for the purpose of such winding up.

By Order of the Board, SAML. J. GOWER, Secretary.

PRAYA EXTENSION.

Dated the 18th day of June, 1888.

THE HOLDERS of Marine Lots within the limits of the proposed Praya Extension pointout to them this old and useful preparation, and the ATTORNIES and AGENTS of ABSENT the most CURATIVE, and the ONLY PRESERVA-OWNERS are requested to meet Mr. C. P. CHATER at the CHAMBEB OF COMMERCE, CITY HALL, at 3 P.M., TO-DAY, the Srd July proximo, to consider the Reports, Plans, and Estimates for the Work prepared by the Government in accordance with the Resolution passed at the Meeting held on the 26th day of November last, and to determine on the action to be taken on the Report and Estimate. Hongkong, 26th June, 1888.

TO BTLAND CEMENT J.B. WHITE & BROS. BOLE AGENTS FOR CHINA. HOLLIDAY WISE & Co. Hongkong, 11th April, 1883.

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GOVERNMENT BILLS. TENDERS for SPECIE, MEXICANDOL. LARS, Current in the Colony, weighing 7.1.7., in exchange for STERLING BILLS drawn at 10 days sight on the LORDS COM-MISSIONERS OF HEE MAJESTY'S TREASURY. LONDON, will be received by the Chief Paymester, Army Pay Department, until-11 A.M., TO-MORROW (WEDNESDAY), the

4th instant. The Tenders to state the Total Amount Required (IN POUNDS STERLING) and the amount for which each Hill should be drawn, but no Bills will be issued for sums less than The Tenders to be in Duplicate, in Sealed

By kind permission of the Officer Command Covers, addressed to THE CHIEF PAYMASTEE. ARMY PAY DEPARTMET, endorsed "Tenders for Government Bills." The right to accept or reject any or all of the Tenders is reserved.

> W. HUGHES, Colonel, Chief Paymester. Her Majesty's Treasury Office, Queen's Road. Hongkong, 2nd July, 1888.

> MR. H. F. HAYLLAR, C.E., ARCHITECT AND CIVIL ENGINEER. No. 9, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, Near Ice House Street. Hongkong, 3rd July, 1833,

COMPANY. ESTABLISHED 1845. TOTAL ASSETS ON 1 JANUARY, 217,094,618 1889 ...... AMOUNT ABSURED BURPLUS BY NEW YORK STATE 2 2,437,612

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BIRLEY, DALRYMPLE & Co.,

Agents, Hongkong. Hongkong, 3rd July, 1888. STEAM TO BOMBAY VIA STRAITS. FINE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

"KASHGAR." will leave for the above places TO MORROW. the 4th July, at Noon, instead of as previously E. L. WOODIN. Superintendent.

Hongkong, 2nd July, 1888. INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SHANGHAL (Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates

for Chefoo, Tientsin, Newchwang, Han-KOW, and Ports on the YANGTSZE). HE Company's Steamship " KWONGSANG," Captain Sellar, will be despatched as above TO-MORROW, the 4th instant, at FOUR P.M.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 3rd July, 1888. FOR MANILA VIA AMOY. THE Spanish Steamer

"DON JUAN," Captain Marquez, will be despetched as above on THURSDAY, the 5th inst., at FOUR P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to BRANDAO & Co.,

Hongkong, 3rd July, 1888.

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THE British Steamer "AFGHAN," Captain Boy, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 10th inst., at FOUR P.M. Fare to Sydney or Melbourne \$150. For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Hongkong, 3rd July, 1888. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. THE AA I British Bark "EJ SPENCED For Freight, apply to

Managers.

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, 3rd July, 1868. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. HE 3/3 A. I. I. American Bark day of July, 1888, at 2.30 or THE CLOCK IN
THE AFTERNOON, when the subjoined resolution, which was passed at the Extraordinary Port, and will have quick despatch.

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LOAN B.

TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that in conformity with the stipulation contained in the Bonds of this Loan, the following Numbers of Bonds to be paid off at Par at the Office of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, in Hongkong on the 30th day of June, 1888, when the interest thereon wil cease to be payable, were this day Drawn at the Office of the said Corporation in Hongkong in the presence of Mr. WILLIAM HENRY GAS-KELL, Acting Chief Accountant of the said Corporation, and of the undersigned Notary:

For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking almost endless latitude to which official ut-

W. H. GASKELL, Acting Chief Accountant

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Countersigned A. P. STOKES,

Notary Public, Hongkong.

Hongkong, 19th May, 1888. CHINESE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT SILVER LOAN OF 1884, LOAN B.

THE INTEREST due 30th day of June L Current, of the above Loan, together with BONDS DRAWN for Redemption, will be after that date. For the Hondrong & Shanghai Banking

CORPORATION. Agents issuing the Loan.

W. H. GASKELL,

Acting Chief Accountant. Hongkong, 19th May, 1888. ESTABLISHED IN 1852. VERTISING AGENCY.

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papers published on the Pacific Coast, the Sandwich Islands, Polynesia, Merican Ports, Panama-Valparaiso, Japan, China, New Zealand, the Australian Colonies, the Eastern States, and Europe. Files of nearly every Newspaper published on the Pacific Coast are kept constantly. on hand, and all Advertisers are allowed free receive their armament. Having remarked access to them during business hours.

The "Hongkong Daily Press" is kept on fild at the Office of L. P. FISHER, who is authorised to receive Advertisaments.

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During the present Season, avoid all doubtful food, impure water, overfatigue and impure air A bottle of ASIATIC CORDIAL and a bottle of been standing on their pivots in our emplacethe Finest OLD LIQUEUR BRANDY, are usoful things to have in the house.

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have been, or the errors of system, it is cer-HONGKONG, JULY 3RD, 1888. tain that of late years the Government has been trying to make up for lost time. Great THE great gun question is again being S529 very much in the same position as the loading guns. When the change was deterneighbouring colony, we are as much in- mined on there was the largest navy in the keys. We understand that these coolies were terested as the Singaporeans in noting what. | world to have its armament changed, and ever information is received there. From the land fortifications required similar attenthe Free Press we learn that by the last mail tion. Guns are not things that can there were received two despatches, one by manufactured in a day, and the resources 3680 the Governor from the Secretary of State, to of all the gun manufacturing establishthe effect that the long promised guns were ments in the country have not sufficed to be sent out at the end of July, and and to turn them out quickly enough. other by the Officer in charge of the Ord- der these circumstances no charge of denance Stores of the Colony, from the Com- liberate breach of faith, such as the Free missary-General of Ordnance, to the effect Press puts forward can be sustained. Our that no approximate date could be given for the despatch of the heavy armament for should have been mounted long ago at Sin-Singapore. Right upon the top of these two gapore have been "grabbed" by some cruiser. contradictory statements a Third despatch As to the relative importance of arming the was received, this being from Colonel navy or mounting guns ashore we should CEASTEE, Hongkong, the officer in com- have thought there could be no difference of the Royal Artillery on opinion, even looking at it from a purel station, to the officer in command at Singalocal moint of view. That the people of Sinnot possibly come out sooner than, at the the promised gans is not unnatural, but it is earliest, six months from original date not quite consistent with due regard for the mance to be given this evening by the Wash 4106 (May). At all this the Free Press waxes national dignity to speak as though the inextremely wrath, and finally grows envious terests of the mother country and the coof inoffensive Hongkong. "At Hong- lonies were opposed, and that the one was a kong," says our contemporary, "a station great shopkeeper who, having received paywhich is now gradually being recognized as 4236 of far less strategical importance than Singalently refused to deliver the same. pere, an efficient medium B.L. 6-in, arms. 4291 ment is being provided. At Singapore there There were 2.014 visitors to the City Ha 4315 are but ancient 7-in, M.L. medium guns Museum last week, of whom 135 were Europeans. 4322 4327 4329 4332 with a clumay make-shift depression loading, 4314 4350 4351 4352 which at the quickest fisher requires 32 which at the quickest firing requires 3? O. steamer Khediue, with the next outward 4381 4388 4386 minutes between the rounds. We would English mail, left Singapore for this port at six | Brothers and the Company generally promise 4404 ask His Excellency to again demand that we o'elook yesterdsy morning. 4445 be treated at least like Hongkong, and be 4463 given 6-in B.L. or, preferably, 70-pdr. San Francisco to the 12th June, has arrived at artist. quick-firing guns as manufactured at Els-Yokohama, and will sail for this port to-day. wick." The writer goes on to explain that 4536 4541 it is recognized as an axiom that modern We notice from the Singapore papers that the Government has consented that all newspapers coast defence requires a mixed armament, printed in that colony shall be forwarded free of beavy, medium, and light, and that Singa- postage to any place in the Straits Settlements.

a somewhat different pattern, or "mark," as men. Chang Yao, the Governor, a firm man, is the technical phrase. We will not enter on the argument as to whether Hongkong or Singapore is the more important from a strategical point of view, 5140 5145 5150 for each is important. Any variation in ment is on a small scale this year, but the poppy degree of importance must depend on varying conditions, more especially the direction of the cultivation will take place next year. 5258 from which the enemy may be expected to approach. Leaving this branch of the subour contemporary in his indictment of the home Government :- "We must protest in Bey, who secompanied him on a shorting expedimattenagest terms against the disgraceful manner in which the colory

sufficiently armed with armour piercers, but

more suitable. The demand made by Sin-

gapore is very reasonable, and we hope it will

soon be satisfied. Very probably, as Hong-

kong has been the first to receive its medium

armament, Singapore may be the first to re-

ceive its big guns, which, our contemporary

While of the same calibre as the heavy guns

off time after time, year after year, with red 5558. 5561 5566 5569 tape and broad-margined official letters, 'full of sound and fury and signifying no- tible. The disturbed point, apparently, is S.E. For \$500 each Hongkong Currency=\$488,000. thing. We are perfectly well aware of the from us. At Taku the shocks cometimes are terances are allowed to go without incurring a charge of downright unveracity. Heads of Departments are conventionally permitted to be the indoor patients at once to more airy and ignorant of what as private individuals they elevated localities, there to be kept on a nitromust know very well, or could ascertain if they from medicines made up of acetate of potash and cared to do so. If it were only a matter of fa. a solution of perchloride of iron. vour to this Colony that we were to receive a heavy armament, there might be some ex- the state of the Praya, more especially the central stions, the discontinuance of which, if prolonged and it exploded killing seven people, and injurcuse for the postponement of the fulfilment of the promises which have been made in this verandahs and pass the time in gambling renders | tween Capt. McEwen and the Municipal authorespect. But the transaction is no favour, it impossible for anyone to pass without being rities, it was decided to send some police officers PAID at the Offices of this Corporation on and A bargain was struck, by which the Colony constructed large and expensive fortifications which should serve not only for its own defence, but in a far greater degree for the efficient protection of New Harbour and its approaches, where are situated those ranges of coal-sheds which make Singapore, in ad-P. FISHER'S NEWSPAPER AD. dition to the strategical value of its situation, a point of such enormous Imperial importance." The colony, having done all N.B.-ADVERTISING SOLICITED for all News- this, the home Government has failed to carry out its part of the contract, and the colony is, therefore, our contemporary sug-

geste, entitled to claim interest on the

money expended on the forts until they shall

that it is a work of sometimes nearly two

years to carry a heavy gun through all its

stages, from the casting of the steel down-slaughter

\$600 and \$700, and the bidding was exceptionally brisk as will be seen by the sums realised, hor lots being knocked down to Mr. Jones Hughes for 31,230 and 31,470 respectively.

Woodyear's Circus gave another performance last evening, and again had a good house. Company has apparently hit the popular taste, and the various tems on the programme are rewarded with vociferous applause. It must, however, be confessed that they deserve success for the Comaway cannot make our complaints and indig. pany, one and all, work hard to secure it. As already mentioned in a previous notice, the

We learn from the Singapore Free Press that a Chinaman was brought to Rochors Station on the 25th ult. suffering from a lacerated wound | the grandest ceremony since 1871, in the upper part of the right arm. It appears that the poor man, with another Chinaman, was engaged in hanling wood out of the river in Johore. While doing this he was attacked by an alligator, who made a savage dash at him and fastened his teeth in the fleshy part of his arm. His friend immediately, got hold of his feet and pulled him away from the alligator, who let go Owing to the death of Sr. Joan-Eduardo by earthquakes. diately sent to Hospital but the chances of his After reading this threatening language recovery are said to be slight, as mortification has already set in.

We (British North Borneo Herald) hear very good accounts from Kudat of the Hakks coolies who arrived lately from Hongkong for the Tobacco Estates in Marudu Bay. They are reported to be first rate agricultural labourers and their wives and children being always ready for light work are often of great service on the plantations. It is satisfactory to learn that the Maradu Bay planters are greatly pleased with their first consignment of coolie labour which has reached them direct from Hongkong at about one-third of the cost formerly paid for coolies engaged through the agency of Singapore Tow. secured with the valuable assistance of Mesers. Birley, Dalrymple and Co. of Hougkong, who are prepared to engage any number of men of be the same class on similar terms.

The memorial from Anhui in the Pekina River floods, as it appears that although Honan suffered most disastrously yet Anhui did not escaps, and that over 400,000 people of the province are destitute in consequence. The waters are now rising fast, and are nearly at ordinary summer level. As so much of the low lands of contemporary suggests that the guns which Honan are under water there are reasons for fearing the floo is will soon spread over the lower lands of Anhui and Kiangpei. The provincial governments give no indication of planning any removal of the rained peasants and towns-people to other regions. The congregation of destitute people in various parts is highly dangerous, and we trust that before the cold weather comes large numbers of the sufferers will be transported by the State to places where they can cultivate the ground and support themselves. - Chinese Times.

steamer City of Sydney, with mails, &c., from | will reward the efforts of this telented young

In your Rickshaw, O my darling As you rattle gaily by, Spare O I spare your fond adorer. Just one glance from that blue eye, Changed, alas | since first I met you, Swearing to be fairly true;

Another popular song was "The Model, A.D.C has moved troops to disperse and kill the reone verse of which was as follows :-I'll study a manner of gracoful ease, Said I to myself said I, The N. C. Daily News hears that the cultivation of the poppy has been begun at Chinkiang Said I to myself said L in fields close to the Settlement. The experi-I'll be condescending, but not too free I'll war my monatache and atrive to be A really model A.D.O. plants look healthy, their heads are large, and if Said I to myself said I. the experiment aucceeds, a great development

The Hon. T. A. Brassey, son of the Right Hon. Lord Brassey, K.C.B., who accompanied ject, it is amusing, if not profitable, to follow his father to Borneo in April, 1887, in the yacht high-handed aggression on the part of the natives Sunbeam, has sent a very handsome hunting who live near the Rifle Butts. Early yesterday knife as a present to Panglima Laut of Darvel tion in British North Borneo.—Straits Times. The Chinese Times of the 23rd June says:restbanake are very frequent at Tien-They are very slight; in fact only just per

> genous diet. Outdoor patients derived benefit We would call the attention of the Police to as far as we know, for the resuming of these operpart, throughout the greater portion of the day. much further, will militate against the general ing many others.—N. C. Daily News translations. are properly called "sensitive." The mere teachers the people had no name for themselves The number of coolies who congregate under the efficiency of the corps. After a conference be-

sharper than here. The ground there is less firm.

yielded to medical treatment based on removing

In the Government hospitals in Perak, says the

has become as bad, if not worse, than before.

The British gunboat Merlin, Captain Maturin, left here yesterday for Canton.

to its final proof trials at Shoeburyness

the Free Press goes on to write in the

following hysterical manner: -- "When Wool-

wich and Elswick are up to their eye

should be pushed aside, and that the guns,

which might months, if not years ago, have

ments, have been 'grabbed' for some

oruiser or other for the early arming of which

there was necessity. The home authorities

appear to rely upon this, that we being far

nation felt with any force, while those in-

terested in naval matters, and the House o

Commons swarms with them, can raise a daily

the arming of new vessels, a howl that is

of calling forth awkward questions in Par-

divisions. But this Colony can make itself

heard with effect too, if it likes, and it is

only fair to give warning that steps are now

being taken to bring a pressure to bear on

the Imperial Government which will have

the result, it is auticipated, of their paying

that proper amount of attention to the

Singapore defences which is demanded by

its importance to the Empire as perhaps the

most important coaling station in Eastern

on the part of our Singapore contemporary

the home Government must certainly de

something. It is only fair, however, to see

what the Government may have to say for

itself. Whatever the faults of the past may

should grown stive in the absence of

We are informed by Mr. O. Bachrach, agent

for the Austro-Hungarian Lloyd's S. N. Com-

pany, that the Company's steamer Medusa,

bound for this port, brokeher shaft when between

Frequent alarming telegrams arrive from

Seoul, says the Chinese Times of the 23rd June.

So far they are not very definite, but apparently

ndicate that a coup d'etat is imminent. Yuen,

the Chinese Resident, is in grievous need at this

critical time of a prudent, trustworthy, and

No accurate accounts of the marauding

bands in Shantung are to be had yet. But it is

said that the brigands, having been joined by

some disbanded troops, now number about 2,000

Bombay and Colombo, and had therefore to put

back to Bombay.

honest counsellor.

volters.—Chinese Times.

tsin, sometimes six Cr

Two lots of Crown and were sold yesterday afternoon at the Peak by Mr. J. Sampson, Government Surveyor. The upset prices were navy, it is certainly natural, though it is at the same-time quite unjustifable, that we

Circus is open every evening:

In these hard times, says the Straits Times, how! in the case of any apparent delay in with scarcity of gold on all sides, the news that highly auricorous quartz rook has been found in Perak will assuredly arouso attention, which can only become keener on hearing that one specisure to be taken up by the service clubs and men alone has been estimated to hold 300 to 400 the newspapers, and might have the effect ounces of the precious metal to the ton. Researches into the extent of the lode may lead to the liament, and perhaps still more awkward discovery of paying gold fields. ""

Norton Company for the benefit of Achmed Ali Bey, which is given under the patronage of H.E. the Governor and Major-General Cameron. Achined Bey, whose real name is, we believe, Ro- the various candidates. Sr. Amaral has certain bert Jensen, son of Theodore Jensen, the celebrated artist, has achieved a long list of successes that Br. Amaral would leave nothing undene ment for so many batteries of guns, fraudu- in the profession he has selected, in every clime, and Hongkong has been no exception to the the life of his father, there cannot be any doubt. which he displays, in the performance of his ful feats, he will perform his great self-The Superintendent informs us that the P. & decapitation trick, for the first time in Hongkong. In addition to this the Harvey several new specialities. Achmed Ali Hey has become a great favourite here during his The Agent informs us that the Pacific Mali short stay, and doubtless a "bumping" house

> At a garden fête at Simla the following verses were sung in the  $Ca/\beta$  Chantant, to the tune of In the Gloaming: "-

Still, I trust they won't apset you

As I'm told they sometimes do. In your Bickshaw, O my darling! While you're swarming up the hill.
And your toes are pointing heavenwards Don't you feel a trifle ill? For your men are strangely dressed, dear, Pardon me; but goodness knows What induced you to invest, doar, In such bilious looking clothes.

In your Bickshow, O my darling ! Think not bitterly of me, If I fail to keep beside you When you go so rapidly.
For I long to have a talk, dear, But I'm blown as you may see, Would it not be best to walk, dear, Best for you and best for me !

And I'll try to bow without bending my knees,

The N. C. Daily News of the 27th June says -The municipal authorities were very much exercised yesterday by the report of an act of morning the police in Hongkew Station were apprised of the fact that the country people were tearing up the municipal boundary stones along the Rifle Butts, and upon investigation it was ascertained that about twenty of these landmarks had been removed during the night. These proaccidental killing of a Chinaman out of the two foreigners while practising at the Range, both of ten owner lamas and best the Chinaman till he men being members of the Municipal Police Force.

Council and Major Morrison as Commandant of would he not smite with his vajra dart those Straits Times, that dread disease berri berri has the S.V.C., in order to allow the excitement priests who add violence to immorality? amongst the Chinese to subside, decided to sus. At Wenchow on the night of 9th June a man longs. Many of these—the "pea-flower" tribe—sidered as erived from Tubat or Tobat, which pend all firing at the range for a time, and was carrying two buckets of gunpowder, when are peculiarly amonable to atmospheric influence; is still extractely used in the senses of "great," stopped the rifle competitions then in progress. and no practice or shooting has taken place since. The ordinary Annual Rifle Shooting of the Vo-Instears has in demogrance been entirely upset man passed hurriedly on without stopping to the mimosa. This is too recondite a matter for country. Bod-pa, "a man of Bod," Bod-Yul for the present, and no time has been fixed as yet, it impossible for anyone to pass without being jost. In the most uncomfortable manner, and office bjected to abuse. Some little time ago the non-zero of the Police was, we believe, specially directed to this nuisance, and a few convictions directed to the sent number of the settled to the sharpest that has been known for at least a from Brazil in the number of the settled to some police officers which renders the former class of super divided in the sharpest that has been known for at least a from Brazil in the number of the settled to some police officers which renders the former class of super divided into three longitudinal zones, increasing in elevation from south to north, viz., a southern bring them under arrest for their illegal proceed to abuse the former class of super divided into three longitudinal zones, increasing in elevation from south to north, viz., a southern bring them under arrest for their illegal procedure.

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FROM "STRAITS TIMES."] LONDON, 22nd June.

THE CONSERVATIVE PARTY. At a special meeting of the Conservative Party, Lord Salisbury, referring to a series of minor defeats the Government has experienced commend dissolution.

Mr. W. H. Smith said that unless he received an assurance that he possessed the confidence of the party he would resign the Leadership of the House of Commons.

The meeting passed a vote of confidence in Lord Salisbury and Mr. W. H. Smith. STANLEY'S EXPEDITION.

Deserters have brought back a report that region beyond the upper Aruwhimi, that it is reduced by one-third through sickness and fighting with natives. Mr. Stanley himself is severely wounded, and forced to encamp. He is surrounded and unable to communicate with Emin Boy or Yambungo.

A relief expedition is being organized at Leopoldville.

BERLIN, 25th June. THE OPENING OF THE REICHSTAG. The opening of the Reichstag to day will be All the Federal Princes are invited to attend.

bon Cortes, a supplementary election has been ordered by the Government, to take place at the Holy City on the 15th instant. As soon as the not behaved as he ought in his responsible responsive to he mechanical stimulus of an exnews of the death of the late Member reached position. In a special decree he alludes to heavy Macan several candidates came forward for the rain which had fallen twice since the earthquake vacancy, and the local papers and the Extremo he remarks how gladly would be have suffered Oriente of this colony took up the matter with with them in the same way. He then says all considerable eagerness. In former days it was their own candidate, and as usual, owing to alleged pressure on the civil servants, they carried right also." But when was the heart of heaven the day; but they have since ceased to do so and | and earth not right? If it ever be not what | the people can now vote freely. Among the candidates for the present vacant seat, of whom there are four or five. Dr. Mascarenhas de Menezes, a former Colonial Secretary of Macao, was at first mentioned as the best man to represent the Colony, and was said to be caining many voters, but not having a canvasser at the place, his friends are losing confidence in his ultimate sucbess, and the candidate seems to be losing ground. Another likely gentleman is Sr. Herta o Costa, the antual Surveyor-General, who has a large circle of friends, who are pushing him forward. these candidates claim a good knowledge of Macao and its requirements, which goes far to ensure their nomination, but they have to face a most powerful opponent in the person of Sr. Francisco Joaquim Ferreira d'Amaral, son of the ill-fated Governor of Macao, who foreibly drove the Chinese Customs and Mandarin out of Macao in 1849, thus ensuring the emancipation of Macao, and for which bold stroke he was assassinated-by Chinese in the following year. Sr. Amaral, like his opponents, can also claim a knowledge

of Macao, having served on the naval station there, and during the term of his service he manifested great interest in the welfare of colony, which he cherished in memory. gallant father whose blood was shed in his endeavour to gain Macao for the Macaense. A manifesto was issued the other day calling upon We remind our readers of the perfor- to take in the election of their representative and asking them to give their votes in favour of Sr. Amaral. The people of Macan are quite and the son, and, comparing the claims of and streams and rivers are few. On the other the best claim to the candidature, and for the prosperity of the Colony which has cost seem to be pouring in in favour of this candidate

rale. Those who have witnessed the dexterity As the day of the election is approaching votes proof of the Emperor's interest in scientific magical feats, will, we are sure, endorse this. To- and it appears to be a matter of almost certainty night, in addition to numerous novel and wonder. that Sr. Amaral will ultimately score a victory.

> NOTES FROM NATIVE PAPERS. called together all the tipace, amounting to more Times of India, have prided ourselves on being | Minister, hasnot yet given answer to the applicathan 130 men, and his Deputy, Mr. Pi Hiang-ju, the second city of the Empire. We have always tion of the Municipal Council of the British addressed them and ordered them to complete borne the proud position with the modesty and settlement or licence to make the lighting the payment of the helf year's land-tax within diffidence born of recognised greatness and im-50 days, promising that these who paid within portance. To be the first city in India is no \_\_\_\_Chinese Tikes. 20 days should be rewarded, and threatening small distinction, but to be the second city in that those who failed to pay within 50 should be the Empire is a greater honour. Now we are punished. As they were retiring, they were told that Glasgow hopes, in a few months, to called back and the Deputy Magistrate told his take rank next to London, and to become at a attendants to bring out eighty small dogs from bound the second city of the Empire. The prethe Yamen, each of which was given to a tipuo as sent population of Glasgow is now five hundred of the late Duke Ling of Tsin (B.C. 620-607) of Bombay is 773,196, and the population of Cal- of absence. who was said to care more for his dog than for cutta, including the suburbs, is 766,298. Not The building of houses semi-foreign or entirehis faithful officer, for as is well known, offended taking into account the population of the ly so, is quitelbe rage of the day over here, and by his boldness in offering reproof, he set his suburbs, Glasgow ranks after Liverpool with a several very omfortable and fine looking buildferceious ngoe dog on him, and but for the population of 592,291. Then comes Birming- ingshave beenfinished. Where, however, Korean strength of the grateful She Mi-ming, the ham with a population of 441,095. The Daily contractors an workmen are employed, the greatfaithful Chao Tun would have been eaten. Telegraph tells the people of Glasgow that they est vigilance aid constant supervision must be ex-There are ten descriptions of this animal, the them some time to get rid of the smoke that is done. This we fear, must have been entirely last being the fire tortoise, which may be from darkens their streets and vainly essays to pollute; wanting in a dee where the half finished foreign an inch to eight feet long, and lives 1,000 years. their river air; but such relief is not beyond the house came dwn with a crash the other day, At Hui-chow Fu, Kwangtung Province, in Ta- resources of civilization. They have done a great when it was nithing short of a miracle that half shih Kino, (Stonebreakers' Street) was a tortoise | deal to remove the sanitary blots of their cities; | a dezen of the blockhoaded workmen were not which some people called Hwang had had in the they have cleared and built, with judgment and killed. This, (the miracle), was of course, due family as a pet for 50 or 60 years, feeding it on despatch. In free libraries and reading rooms to the natur of the work and the good cause. rice, about 2 feet long. There was a great fixed they are beyond London, which in its vastness still we shoul say there would be room for imat Hui-chow in April, and when the flood subsided finds it very difficult to cultivate a general civic provement, at hope that the faith of the owner the Hwangs, whose house had been inundated, opinion. We therefore all join in the aspiration is a more subtrutial structure than his house raked together a heap of weeds, debris, etc., May Glasgow flourish, not by adding to its was.—N. C. Lelly News Correspondent. and set fire to it, not seeing that the tortoise Bopulation, but by advances in health, beauty, had ensconced himself in the midst. When the cleanliness, art, science, and literature, and all heap was reduced to sales, the tortoise appeared the higher and nobler adjuncts of civilisation.22 thought of course he was killed, but he soon fine buildings, is worthy of being the second city revived and ate a hearty meal of rice. The Shen- in the Empire. But a great deal remains to be pan thinks this must have been a fire-tortoise. done to remove the sanitary blots of the city. Walker, R.R. and Professor A. Terrien de La-"In Peking, a priest, outside Peking, a man- and our advance in cleanliness is slow. In the conperie, which, both on account of its intrinsic darin," says the proverb in allusion to the matter of free libraries and reading rooms we morits and he importance of the subject, dehauteur of the lamas there. During the cere- are far behind the age. In the promotion of art serves to be cosely studied. At any time a descripmonies which usher in the 5th moon, a Pekingese and science much remains to be done. Bombay ventured to repreve a lama at the door of a must strive, in other respects as well as populatemple outside the Suan-hwa Gate for imper- tion, to retain for herself the title of the second tinently ogling every young woman who went city of the Empire. in to pray. From words they came to blows, and

could not move. The lamas were arrested and Since that unfortunate occurrence, the Municipal will no doubt be punished. If Buddba saw it.

were secured, but lately things seem to have the Council would have heard and given it every quarter of a century, and probably much longer. of Cumberland known to have brought it prising the pasture lands of the Bod-pa nomads fallen into the old rut again, and the nuisance consideration if properly put forward, but they It lasted about fifteen seconds and produced over at least as early as 1592. He imagined it and a northern sone for the most part abandoned cannot be allowed to take the law on the matter such sharp vibrations in the walls of houses that to possess some "strange hidden property, which to wild mimals, but partly occupied by tribes of into their own hands and carry it out according many persons expected greater harm to follow. Yet the Spaniards may well not have known." Turkee and Mongolian nomads. The greater The inquest on the body of Ars. Emma J. to their own methods. It may be mentioned But only in one case were the walls of the house Following an idea of the natives, the Spaniards portion of the southern zone is governed under Goodall, who died on the 18th ult. at Tangim that the parents of the unfortunate lad who of a foreign resident actually parted from each called it la doncella. In parts of Central Ame. the supremacy of China by lamas and gyalpos, Barracks, Singapore, after occupying several lost his life, but an unusually high estimate otherso that a builder had to be sent for instanter. rice it grows to a height of 3ft. or 4ft; but in ecclesia dical and lay Bod-pas, the principal seat days, concluded on the 23rd ult. It will be re- on him, as their claim against the Council for The earthquake was at half-past four p.m., and Asia and Africa some of the mimosas are true of government being at Lhasa, the chief city of membered that deceased, the wife of a private of his death is Tls. 10,000, and it is said they have when many persons met at the garden party at trees, casting a grateful shade and affording an Bod-Yul. Fortions are subject to Cashmere the 82nd Regiment, was under medical treatment threatened a prosecution of the man who fired six at the house of the Inspector-General, it was unfailing sign of neighbouring water. One of and Nebari and to independent chieftains, and and died shortly after taking a dose of medicine the shot before the Supreme Court. But at the found on comparing notes that the course of the these is so sensitive that its branches droop portions are directly subject to China. received from the Military Dispensary. At a same time the mother says she is not so anxious shaking was probably north to south, or, to whenever it is approached; "as if," says Nie- It additional to unravel the poetical legends post mortem examination that followed quantities about an indemnity as that the two men who were be more minute, it had an inclination from buhr, "to salute those who retire under its that cluster round Bod-land in the years preof prussic acid were found in the stomach. The firing when the socident occurred should be north west to south east. The history of shade: a mute hospitality which has en vious to the appearance of the great priest and Coroner's jury, after a deliberation of three-quarters treated according to the Chinese custom of life earthquakes in Peking shews that it is deared this tree to the Arabians." Some reformer, Tsong Khapa, who was born in 1358, ters of an hour, returned the following verdict:— for life; a claim which is even more absurd than not unlikely that there will be a repetition thing of the same feeling has impelled the Sene- and ded in [419. He built and took up his doubt the pecuniary demand. Since the accident oc of these vibrations for a month to come, but galians to name an extremely sensitive shrub abode in the Golden Monastery near Lhass, of death through poisoning by prussic said. That curred the Connoil have decided to do what might they will be less severe. For it was so once guerackiao i.e., "good morrow" because it is which he was the first Khanpo or Abbot. He Sargeant-Major Evans, A.M.S., and Corporal have been done long ago and the accident saved in the reign of Cheng-hwa when the shaking so affected by vibration that it seems to incline forbade clerical marriages, prohibited necro-Jolin, A.M.S., are guilty of gross negligence in thereby, namely, to increase the size of the base took place at intervals for twenty-three days, its leaves towards any speaker who converses maney, and introduced the oustom of frequent

quake is certainly more like that of 1679 than in Jamaico, ad described by Sir Hans Sloane as houses and was the most severe visitation of this "a puff of wad from your mouth will make im-

gort that Peking has ever had. The remains of the devastation caused earthquakes are best seen in China in city walls. The walls of Tungchow fourteen miles east of Peking are, if we may trust to hearsay; an in- we are not tid. But the claim said to be made stance. They are ruined in many parts and urged united action or otherwise he would re- it has been said are a standing memorial of what happened 158 years ago. On that occasion the fall of houses in Peking was general. The Emperor ordered 30,000 taels to be distributed to each banner, that is 240,000 tacks in all. and no distinction was made in the distribution on account of there having been less or more de- an exact interretation of their movements, invastation in different parts of the city. From this we conclude that all over the city there was. a general shaking down of walls. At the summer plant is tought or even breathed upon at its. palace a thousand taels was given to each banner to repair the mischief done to the soldiers in down the stlk, which presently becomes de-Mr. Stanley's force has become entangled in the their encampments which encircle the park of of that palace. The emperor also sent officers entrusted with 20,000 taols to go into the suburbs of the city all round to give aid to the most direction. To cause of the motion is thought distressed among the poor population. The to be ultimately referable to the flow of the sap; Emperor also took pity on all the government which is affected by the touch, giving rise to a officers in Peking, great and small, and ordered sudden contration of the tissues; and this again half a year's salary to be given to them to aid depends on some special details in the anatomy in house building. The sum expended on this of the plant. account would be enormous. These things show that the Peking earthquake of 8 a.m. on the 19th | Dionæa musepula) is a true and very remark. of the 8th moon in 1730 was no trifle. The Em. able sonsitive lant. Its leaves terminate in two peror Yung-cheng was boating on one of the im- fringed lobes anited by a kind of hinge. On the perial lakes at the time, and was saved from upper surfaceof each are three little glands alarm. All the imperial family and the great which are a goat attraction to insects; but so officers proceeded to offer him their congratula impatient are they of touch that when a fly tions on his having escaped the shock so happily. alights on the he is instantly imprisoned by In the Lettres Edifiantes we find an intelligent the collapsing obes. One of the sandews (Drosera missionary who saw much of the Emperor Chien- rolundifolial is furnished with a somewhat lung in his apartments saying, that the Chinese similar equiment, and its irritable leaves mode of building houses by first erecting a frame at once clos upon any insect that touches of wood and then filling up with bricks is intend. them. Thest manifestations are, of course, ed as a security against their being shakon down not necessary produced by insects only. In

of the earthquakes was not quite the same. In touch an attibute which they appear to lose 1730 the Emperor took the destructive shocks as on being trasplanted. Our common wood. a warning from heaven telling him that he had sorrel depress its leaves at night; but it is not before the people could rebuild their houses, and these calamities are caused by men's evil actions. and quotes Choo-foo-tze's words "if my beart seems to us right, it is because men have provoked punishment by their actions. How can among "sensive" plants, we find that many of calamities on mankind? He then alludes to the teaching of the Book of History. "those who act well, heaven sends down on haps be place in the former category; for under act ill heaven sends a hundred forms of calamity." He further quotes from the Kan-vingpien, but without saying so, the words " the retribution of good and evil follows them just as a shadow follows the substance which reflects it." This language shows that the Emperor Yung sufficient regen can be assigned. All these Cheng studied Choo-foo-ize and the moral philosophy of the Sung dynasty with eager faith. In contrast to this, his father the Emperor Kanghi while falling in with the rules of imporial etiquetteandadopting somewhat similar language when the earthquake of 1679 occurred, entered quakes and thus shewed that he was naturally disposed to occupy his mind with scientific researches. He remarks that he has read that at sea their course and take their vessels out to sea so that from the rocks of the coast. This seems to the Emperor to prove that the air is the cause of earthquaker. He also asserts that in the northwest of China earthquakes are extremely severe the Liung-h, left for Peking at the beginning because the land there is very stony and sandy. The hard rocky crust of the earth in those parts renders the imprisoned air more impetuous and ancontrollable especially as it seldom rains there hand he remarks that the frequency of earth. from the effects of a chill, it is said, but is now quakes in Fukien is because the coast is there well again. nearly level with the sea. These imperial obseryations will not help us much in constructing a being made to complete the new Pei-t'ang complete theory of earthquakes, but they are Cathedral in consecration on the 8th December enguirles .- W. C. Datty News.

THE SECOND CLTY IN THE

A severe blow has been simed at the greatness that they exect to receive leave on reasonable On 23rd June Mr. Pei, Shanghai Magistrate, of Bombay. For a long time past we, says the conditions. His said Sir John Walsham, H.B.M. The Tortoise is the chief of scaly beings, should rise to their greatness. "It may take croised to mak sure that solid and reliable work

with his shell all cracked by the heat. They Bombay in population, beauty of situation, and

SENSITIVE PLANTS.

The sensitive plant (Mimosa pudica) is regarded as the "type" of the sub-order of or Tubet. The origin of the name is doubtful, leguminous plants to which it scientifically be but it may with considerable safety, be conthe bottom of one of the buckets fell out, the and the "sleep," or folding of their leaves, which "chief," mong the Tartar tribes. Tibet contents of course falling in a heap in the street. occurs in the evening, is said to be only a milder however, a not the name by which the mo-Afraid of the patrol discovering his fault, the form of the chronic irritability displayed by dern Tibtans designate themselves and their collect the powder. Later on a man of course brief discussion. So far as concerns their "country of Bod," are the expressions in current brought a torch close to it to see what it was, immediate response to touch or other external use; but that Bod means is uncertain. Hodgson agency, all plants that show a similar peculiarity has maintined that before the arrival of Indian reference to botanical "type" is not satisfying or their country, and the present Bod comes when the plants has ranged do not exhibit the from the Sanskrit Bot. The region, which

carrying out their duty and are guilty of man of the mound as well as aid considerably to its This was four centuries ago. But in 1679 there near it. The sensitive trees and shrubs of conference among the Lamas. He discarded

for more than a month. This present earth- Pliny; but here is yet a third variety, growing that of 1750, which overthrew many thousand Mimosa heracea or "sensible grass," on which

The tropid sensitive plant lately exhibited at Vienna beldgs to the order of the Mimosea; but whethelit is of Eastern or Western origin by its owned that he can foretell storms and earthquakeaprty-eight hours in advance by observing the movements of its leaves, cannot be seriously entrtained. No doubt the leaves of the most delicate arieties are responsive to very subthe influence and are affected by electricity, uncongenial vapurs, and other obscure causes. But volving a pross estimate of cause and effect, is all but imposible. If a leastet of the humble

apex, the molment proceeds from leaf to leaf pressed, if tached at the base of one of the branchlete, the movement is reversed, and the little pairs of eaves close together in an upward

The America herb known as Vends's fly-trap their native oil some of the tropical species of oxalis are contaly sensible to any foreign ternal agent, hich should be the true criterion of the plants plassed as "sensitive." Another good example is that of the Virginian fern Onoclea sens ilis), the fronds of which are so impatient the l'rey "perish with almost the least violence. By its too frequent solicitation. the distinctivernit of the humble-plant becomes weakened. Alamous Franch savant carried one about with his in his carriage until its suscepti-

bility was duis destroyed. Turning toother species sometimes includes their movemets occur without the known intervention of anjexternal cause. The carious hothouse plant elaginella mutabilis should perwhite, resumng its natural green colour only when restored to the shade. The so called telegraph plant d India (Desmodium gyrans) sometimes exhibit very singular partial movements. in a series of jerks and tremors, for which no motions are extremely unlike the "sleep" of plant; with wich they are nevertheless said to be allied. Bologists refer the phenomena of vegetable intability "in ultimate analysis to protoplasm." We do not care to refer the touder folding of many flowers and leaves at twilight to agthing but their own sweet way : but it may binoticed that this pensive habit is in marked cutrust with the quick impatience of the "sansives." - St. James's Gazette.

TIENTSIN.

The Raillay extension from Tientsin to Li Han-ching, formerly Governor-General of of the week He was attended by a large retiune. Letters from Peking repeat the report that the works of the Yellow River reparation will be confiled to his charge.

The Victor Li has been rather indisposed We hear from Peking that great efforts are

next. The abbé Favier, architect and builder. has collected great stores of brick, stone, and timber, and has 600 workmen employed daily. The fine proportions and design of the basilica are now plaidly seen, We hear that Messrs. Poulsen and de Linde

intend to askifor permission to light the French Concession sreets and houses with oil-gas, and

M. Collin & Plancy; French Consul, and Mr. a watch-dog with orders to feed them well. The and forty-four thousand, but it is proposed that Ford, British Consul, have arrived in Chemulpo barking and yelping of the animals could be all the suburbs which owe their existence to her with the Ower Maru from Chefoc. We learn heard several if away. Though the Deputy shall be united to the city, which will add 180 that M. Collin de Plancy has established the Magistrate thus cared for the dogs welfare, the thousand to the population, making a total of French Conslate in Naktoug, a district of this tipaes will no doubt be grateful to him for not 724,000. But even then Glasgow would not be city, and that Mr. Ford is going to relieve Mr. forgetting theirs, and will not think of the story | the second city of the Empire, for the population | Watters, who work home on a well earned leave

The last venme of the Encyclopædia Britannica contains an article on Tibet by General tion of a contry which is connected in many ways with I dia could scarcely fail to be interesting, but out little war with the Tibetans attaches a siglificance to the subject at the present time, whichit has not enjoyed since the days of Warren Hstings. This is, therefore, an opportune monent for considering the past history of that expusive and elevated region in the heart of Ask, which is known as Tibet, Thibet,

was also an earthquake which lasted at intervals. Africa are alluded to both by Theophrastus and the scarlet robus which had been the peculiar

dress of all Lamas, and adopted vellow. His Hongkong & Kowleen Wharf and Godown Co., followers are known as the yellow cap of Limited—\$170 per share, sales. Gelupka sect, and have since his time been in Singapore Insurance Company, Limited-321 the ascendant in Tibet. The Red or orthodox faction still retain supremacy in Nepaul and Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 B-5 per cent. Bhootan. Gedun tupa, another great reformer, was contemporary with Tsong-Khapa. He built the monastery at Teshn Lumbo, and it was in the person of this perfect Lama, as he was called, that the system of perpetual incornation commenced. To the successor of Gedun-tupa the Mongol Khans gave the title of Vadira Dalai Lama, and this is the first use of the widelyknown title Dulai (ocean) Lama. Since his time there have been two great incarnations of equal rank, the Dalai Lama at Potala and the Teshu Lama at Teshu Lumbo. The latter, who resides at the Lamisery of Teshu Lumbo, near the town of Shigatze, on the Shanapo, is the great theological authority in Tibet, and is styled the " Gem of Learning," whereas the designation of the former is the "Gem of Majesty." In matters of civil government, the supreme authority belongs to the "Gem of Majesty." But he is consulted only in cases of emergency When his decision is never questioned. His powers are transmitted to a special officer for life, nominated by the Chinese Government, for since 1720 Tibet has been a dependency of China. Two Imperial delegates from China direct exclusively the foreign and military administration of the country; "They are apointed for terms of three years. Subordinate to these are two daluhi or great officers, and two paymasters, residing, one of each grade, at Lhasu and at Bzhekartse (Shegatze or Dicarchi, Next in rank are three commanders, residing at Lhasa, Digarchi, and Dingri, near the Nepal frontier. Below these are three tingpuns, non-commissioned officers, who complete the staff of military Chinese officers in the country. The usual number of Chinese troops, all Manchu Tartars, in Tibet does not exceed 4.500 men (2,000 at Lhasa, 1,000 at Digarchi, 1,000 at Gaanche, and 500 at Dingri)." Every four years the provinces send envoys with presents to the Emperor. Considering the political and geographical

connection between India and Tibet, it is strange how slight has been the relations between us and the Tibetans. In fact, since the days of Warren Hastings there has been hardly any at all. In 1774 he sent an envoy-Mr. Heorge Bogle-to the Teshu Lama, and for an interesting and instructive account of that mis- | Shanghai..... tion we are indebted to Mr. Clements Markham, dended the journal of Bogle some twelve insphere 29.91 years ago. The result of the mission was slight and transitory. Hastings, however, was not the man to be baffled in accomplishing any work which he had determined to do, and a few years later be despatched another ambassador to congratulate a new Tashu on his accession to the dignity. Captain Turner's mission, however, did not prove more successful than Bogle's. In 1792, war broke out between Nopaul and Tibet which resulted in the total defeat of the former. Khatmandoowould have been sacked, but for the intervention of Lord Cornwallis. The intervention cost as dear. Up to this time Indian goods found their way to Tibet, and Tibetan goods to Bengal, but the Chinese resented the mediation of Lord Cornwallis by closing the Direction of wind ... passes of the Himalays erecting block houses at Force of wind ....... their nothern entrances, and putting a stop to all intercourse whatsoever. Since then only one Englishman has succeeded in making his way from India to Lhasa. This was Manning, the friend of Charles Lamb. In 1811, he entered Bhootan by the Linkhai Duar, and reached Parijong on the frontier of Thibet, in the guise of a medical practitioner. There he found a Chinese general with troops, some of whom he cured and 35,000 to \$16,000. the general permitted him to accompany his escort back to Lhasa. He had remained in the sacred city saveral months when orders came from Peking to send him back the way he came. The only Europeans who have visited Lhasa since. the time of Mr. Manning are MM. Hue and Gabet, two French missionaries, who, after eighteen months of long marches and terrible hardships, made their way from China to Lhass. "hey British North Borneo, are now prepared to were, however, soon deported back again. In . 74 . the Abbe Desgodins travelled through portions of Eastern Tibet and reached Chiamdo (in Kham), but was prevented from approaching any closer to Lhasa. Last of all, the Russian Colonel Prejevalsky succeeded in exploring portions of Northern Tibet, but was unable to penetrate southwards into Bodland. Of late years Pandits sent by the Government have greatly increased our knowledge of Great Tibet. It is to be hoped that, having embarried on hostilities with the

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

Tibrians, peace will not be granted to them un-

til they are prepared to receive a mission at

their obstructive policy.-Times of India.

MONDAY, 2nd July.

EXPORT CARGO. scented caper, 8,484 lbs. scented orange pekoe, 50 arrival in this Harbour, none of the Company bales feathers, 10 cases bristles, 2 cases curies, Foremen should be at hand, orders for repairs i and 25 packages sundries. From Australia-58 cases mother-o'-pearl shells. In transit-156 packages tes.

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"BOOCHOW," Captain Hughes, will be despatement on WEDNESDAY, the 11th July. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 29th June, 1888. FOR NEW YORK.

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THE A L. German Barque "ELLA NICOLAI," W. Meisterfeld, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

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more trouble in the end. The authorised List of Mails issued in connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Extra, which is always corrected to a much later hour than that given

A MAIL WILL CLOSE. For Haifong.-Per Marie, to-day, the 3rd For Seraits and Bombay.-Per Kashgar, tomorrow, the 4th inst., at 11.30 A.M. For Swatow, Amoy, and Foochow.-Per Namoa, to-morrow, the 4th inst., at 11.30 A.M. For Kobe and Yokohama.-Per Benlaria, on Thursday, the 5th inst., at 3.30 P.M. For Amoy and Manile .- Per Don Juan, on Thursday, the 5th inst., at 3.30 P.M. For Straits, Colombo, Bombay, and London. -Per Lombardy, on Saturday, the 7th inst.,

at 11.30 A.M. MAILS BY THE GERMAN PACKET. The German Contract Packet Sachsen will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 4th July, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe and countries beyond, via Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Batavic, Burmah, Ceylon, India Aden, Egypt, Malta, &c., &c. -

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in length and girth combined Jemaica (via Lon-To Cape Town itself, 11th. † Antigua, Montserrat, 8. Ritts, Nevis, Dominica, Virgin Is., Grenada, S. Lucia, S. TO THE UNITED KINGDOM AND PLACES BEYOND.-Parcels are forwarded by P. & Q. packet only, and arrive in London about 8 days later than the Mail. They must be posted before 3 p.m. on the day before the Mail leaves. No further charge is made on delivery except for Customs Dues. A Declaration of Contents and Value is raquired with each parcel. The form is supplied

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NORTHERN ASSURANCE COMPANY TK HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents, in conjunction with MESSES. TURNER & Co for the above Company, are propared to ACCEPTRISKS against FIRE at Current Rates.

W. HEWETT & Co. Hongkong, 8th June, 1888. CHINA FIRE INSURANCE - COMPANY, LIMITED, ESTABLISHED 1870. HEAD OFFICE,-Hongkong. CAPITAL TWO MILLION DOLLARS. PAID UP CAPITAL ...... \$ 400,000

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Hougkong, 80th March, 1888.

"ESQ." OR "MR.".

frippery, that it costs nothing whatever for prefer to take the local station-master for hire. If you wished to walk in chain mail their guide, and the touch of his forefinger and burgonet, you would not only have to to his cap warrants the title of "Esquire" them well scoured, but pay a good sum for real expert, however, takes hints from all

at intervals in the fight.

the gradual depreciation in value of the title refuge in plain " Mr."-Globe. of " Esquire" from its apogee, when it signified socially broad acres; haunches of venison, barrels of humming ale, the chucking under the chin of village maidens, and CTRAITS INSURANCE COMPANY, summary justice upon peachers, down to the periges it is rapidly approaching. Like other has had to submit to the natural law of evaporation, and to seeing its original value brought down to zero. The depreciation has been very rapid during the last generation. At the beginning of even to present reign E. L. REUTER, Esq., Messrs. PUSTAU & Co the title was not to be despised. People then addressed each other as "Mr.," unless there was some particular reason for rising to "Esquire." The title had then a STRAITS INQUEANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. fairly well defined use, being confined to the professions, and to those who, in the language of the new light "battoned on the unearned increment." Those were the days when it was thought witty to aspeak of a man running away from civilisation "back to Manchester," and when to address a man actually engaged in trade as " Esquire" was a mean piece of toadyism. But the process of depreciation rapidly set in after the extension of commerce and the Exhibition of 1851, material prosperity and culture both tending to "appreciate" social tended in the same direction. We no longer know "who's who "as our forefathere did, and it is only polite of society; when it does not know a man, to give him the benefit of its ignorance. So "Esquire" multiplied Two Companies participate in the Bonns greatly. Tradesmen adopted it indiscriminately for all their customers, as a delicate form of flattery, and in the sanguine hope that they would pay as such. Letter-writers began to risk it to unknown correspondents. Till within quite recent memory it was still thought to be one of the minor compliments of social intercourse. The country, at all events, ought to have been one of the strongholds of the "squite" if the town degraded the title; but was not free from the general tendency. There soon got to be in the parish not only the squire, but one the lawyer became a squire too (though, by at Current Rates. caprice of fortune, not the doctor), then any man who farmed his own land was a "squire" to those who did not, and the tradesman who retired on his pile and his consciousness of duty performed was soon a " squire " as well. The title has now for some time been kicking about like a tin ket-

Nevertheless, it still exhibits some expir- prepared to grant Insurances as follows :ing throse of meaning in certain sections of get yourself disliked, it is just as well to in London, or at the principal Ports of Indis, bestow a little care in its use even in these China and Australia. bestow a little care in its ruse, even in these adanced days. But although you wish to Policies issued for long or short periods at do the right thing, it is not always easy to current rates. hit it on sight. The rule now adopted by practical people, without fads, is, of course, Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,000, to address as "Esquire" every one whom at reduced rates. they do not know, and also every one they do know whom they do not think will feel insulted by the particle. This might at first NORTH BEITISH AND MERCANTILE might be thought to include everybody; but it is not so. You may, as a rule, safely go LTHE Undersigned, Agents of the above Comdown with "Esquire" so far as even the smallest tradesman if you like even a gen. FIRE at Current Rates. tleman who owns only a short wilk walk will not diadain it, while your office boy or your page boy now looks on it as a matter of birthright; but there is still many a horny. handed son of toil left who would think, if were getting at him, and would resent it in bis own mind as a joke of bad taste. Other Rates. sons of toil there are who would take it as an insult that a title which he considers to be a badge of the classes should be applied to him; be glories in "Mr.," or plain and truthful "James." On the other hand, many sons of toil are agreeably fiattered by FIRE Undersigned having been appointed the appellation. You have these various Agents for the above Company, are feelings to consider, and it does, not do to prepared to GRANT POLICIES against rush blindfold at either "Esquire" or " Mr." The experienced hand can frequently get a clue from the wording of a letter, as to which title will be the best received. If the letter gives evidence by derangement of epitaph of the writer having improved his mind by attendance at FIRE at Current Rates. evening classes, "Esquire" will be a salve to bis feelings, and a spur to further exertions in the use of the globes; whereas if it is entirely in the vernacular, and there is anything said in it about " the working classes" or "the upper classes," " Mr." is the proper card to play. Even in the case of gentlemen in trade,

tle in the market-place, and most people

whom we mentioned above, there is a small minority of old-fashioned men who prefer "Mr." in certain circumstances. We recently had the advantage of a luminous exposition of the matter by an old-established trader of this city, who stated that as a citizen he The Company GRANTS POLICIES on should expect letters to his business house MARINE RISKS to all parts of the World, to be addressed "Mr.," and those to his sub-payable at any of its Agencies. utban residence as "Esquire." This finely | Contributory Dividends are payable to all marked differentiation between man and Contributors of Business, whether they are man, in the same man, will surprise and Shareholders or not. delight all social students who make its acquaintance. When a man is at work he is "" Mr.," and when not at work an "Esquire." If generally adopted, this rule would make matters easier, and give an FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, OF 1877. agreeable flavour to correspondence. You would, for instance, write to Mr. Jones at his business address, and say, " Dear Mr. Jones,-I beg to return the umbrella here- RISKS at Current Rates. with which I borrowed of John Jones, Esq., last night, and to ask you to thank him for the agreeable boiled leg of mutton supper he regaled us with." While, if you had occasion to address him at home, you would beg John Jones, Esq., to inform Mr. Jones O UEEN FIRE INSURANCE that you would call on him in the City:

to-morrow. "Esquire" is still a stumbling-block to the compilers of lists of subscriptions, of patrons, and so forth, especially in country places, where every body knows everybody else. Little minds are not only pleased, but displeased, by little things, and a wrongly placed " Esquire" or " Mr." may even endanger a future subscription. Some compilers have simple rule of thumb. which is to dub # Esquire. all contributors of amounts of 25 or upwards, and make the

rest "Mr." This is all very well, only "Mr."

Groen of the Manor who has given his two 1888. guineas, does not omit to notice the "Samuel Brown, Esq.," which records the grocer's larger subscription; so that the rule is a appears that among the last sentences pitfall where you have to live with the which Mr. Matthew Arnold penned was a people afterwards. Others go by the house reminder to his hearers that the word occupied, and, no matter how blue-blooded "Esquire," which he held in repugnance, a man is, if he is not rated above a certain came out of the " great fripperv shop of the sum, he is a "Mr."-a great shock to a Middle Ages." This is "one" for the title, small aristocrat. Others, in despair, put down and "one" for the Middle Ages, too; for all "Esquire," which brings in the village the Middle Ages went in largely for the Bow- sweep, and causes the lip of the butcher's wife street business, both in costumes and other to carl in scorn and derision. Others, more personal adornments, "Esquire" being, clever, note whom the clergyman shakeshands among the latter, a prominent survival. It with, and to whom be only gives a patronising has had one advantage over the rest of the nod, and draw their line there. Others again leave a deposit on the articles, and return being given to the happy recipient. The the loan of them; nor could ruff, stomacher, these methods, and turns out a list which is and farthingale he procured for the mere a useful social barometer, and shows roughly asking. Ambling palfroys have their market | the altitude of the elevations around. These price, and caparisoned barbs their current throes of life in the old appellation are, quotation; while a most, drawbridge and however, rapidly subsiding. "Esquire," portcullis, even if sanctioned by the local dislodged from its original height, is coming heard surveyor, could not be set up without down with a run, and before the century is "Esquire," however, costs nothing out will probably be nothing but a grave of now-a-days, not even the criginal price of defunct meaning for Smelfungus to unearth. running after another man to carry his The Government, in its official corresponarmour, of screwing his head viece on just dence, treats everybody as "Esquire" before the battle, and of administering the already, even those gentlemen who have "John Collins" of the time through a straw been under its paternal care for terms of years. After that, even the greatest sticklers It would be an interesting study to trace for dignity must soon be glad to take

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WOO LIN YUEN, Secretary, . HEAD OFFICE. No. 2, Queen's Road West, Hongkong, 14th March, 1881, IN HAMBURG. THE Undersigned, Agents of the above-Company, are Prepared to ACCEPT

Hongkong, 18th January, 1884. COMPANY. The Undersigned, Agents for the above Com- CALGUTTA ..... Messrs. Newman & Co. pany, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS SYDNEY ...... Messrs. Gordon & Gotch. gainst FIRE at Current Rates NORTON & Co.,

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